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This issue of 425 DX News was edited by Maurizio Bertolino, I1-21171/IZ1CRR owing to the untimely death of Mauro's, I1JQJ beloved mother. We are close in thoughts and prayers to Mauro and his wife Valeria, IK1ADH and we are confident that the readers of 425DXN will understand the hard time of grief and distress our friends have been called to face.

5R - Phil, G3SWH and his wife will be touring Madagascar (AF-013) between 13 and 22 September, when they we will fly to Ile Sainte Marie (AF-090) and relax for a few days until the 27th. Phil hopes to activate his 5R8HA call from the mainland whenever he can and to operate as 5R8HA/P from AF-090, where he expects to be more active. Look for him on 10-40 metres CW only. QSL via home call. [TNX G3SWH]

CT3 - Moreira, CT1AHU will operate as CQ3U from Porto Santo, Madeira (AF-014, DIP MA-002) from 30 August to 9 September. QSL via CT1AHU. The page for the operation is at <http://ctlend.netpower.pt/cq3u> [TNX CT1END]

EA6 - Christian, DL6KAC will be active again (mainly SSB with some CW) as EA6/DL6KAC from Mallorca (DIE E-021), Balearic Islands (EU-004) from 8 September to 7 October. QSL via home call either direct or through the DARC bureau. [TNX DL6KAC]

F - A group of operators from Cenon Radio Club (F6KNL) will be active from Madame Island (not IOTA, DIFM AT-024) on 29-30 August. They will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres. QSL via F8BBL, bureau or direct. [TNX F8BBL]

F - Special station TM5GAP will be active on 6-14 September during the World Parachuting Championship at Gap-Tallard aerodrome. QSL via F5IQJ. [TNX F0CRS]

HB0 - IZ2DPX and IW2NEF will be in Liechtenstein for the IARU VHF Region 1 Contest (6-7 September). Look for HB0/IZ2DPX/P from JN47TC and HB0/IW2NEF/P from JN47SB. IZ2DPX will operate also on 10, 15, 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ2DPX]

HB0 - Weather permitting, Pierre, HB9QQ will again be active as HB0/HB9QQ from Liechtenstein from 12 October for a few days. His QTH will be

at 2200m a.s.l. and plans are to concentrate on 160 metres with a dipole at a height of 23m and 500 watts. QSL via HB9QQ. [TNX F5NQL]

I - Vanni, IK4RUX and Giuseppe, IZ4CCO will be active from Bergeggi Island (EU-083, IIA SV-002) on 6-7 September. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX IZ6EGW]

I - Vesuvio DX Team member IZ8FDH will be active as IL7/IZ8FDH from San Domino (EU-050, IIA FG-001) on 13-18 September. QSL via home call either direct (Paolo Capobianco, Via Enrico Cocchia 26, 80124 Napoli - NA, Italy) or through the bureau. [TNX IZ8DDG]

KH6 - Lee, KB1AIM/HL1IWD reports he will be visiting Honolulu, Hawaii on 7-12 September and will operate as KH6/KB1AIM on 20 metres mainly CW. QSL via HL1IWD.

KH7K - The DXpedition to Kure Atoll [425DXN 640], originally planned to take place in October, has been postponed "until sometime next year". Owing to uncertainties related to transportation access to Midway, the expedition's stepping stone to get to Kure, it has been decided to wait until things are settled. [TNX KH7U]

KP2 - The Wireless Association of South Hills will be QRV from St. John, US Virgin Islands (NA-106) on 4-12 October. The NP2SH team will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres, and will participate in either the California QSO Party (4-5 October) and the Pennsylvania QSO Party (11-12 October). QSL direct to N3ZNI. [TNX W4ZE]

OZ - Ric, DL2VFR reports he will operate mostly CW as OZ/DL2VFR from Langeland Island (EU-172) from 31 August to 6 September. QSL via home call, bureau or direct.

S7 - Norbert, DL2RNS will operate mainly CW as S79NS from the Seychelles on 4-17 October. QSL via home call, bureau or direct. [TNX DL2VFR]

SV - Nicolas, F5TGR will be active as SV8/F5TGR from the Cyclades (EU-067) on 6-27 September. He will operate on 10-20 metres SSB and CW from the islands of Paros (6-12 September), Santorini (13-19th) and Naxos (20-27th). QSL via home call, either direct (Nicolas Quennet, 8 bis Rue de la Marne, 95220 Herbaly, France) or through the bureau. [TNX F5TGR]

SV5 - Russell, G5XW reports he will be active (on 20 metres only) as SV5/G5XW from the Dodecanese from 28 August to 4 September.

UA - UA0LD, RW0LE and RA0LIA will operate as UE0LZZ/P from the Natural Reserve of Ussuriisky on 5-7 and again on 12-14 September. QSL via UA0LD. [TNX RU3GN]

UT - Special event call EN100WAY (World Aviation Year) will be aired by club station UR4WWE, located at the Lviv State Airport, on 1-30 September. QSL via UT7WZ either direct (Miroslav Lupiy, P.O.Box 94, Lviv, 79000, Ukraine) or through the bureau. E-mail requests for bureau cards will be welcome at ur4wwe@ut1wpr.ampr.org [TNX UR5WCW]

V2 - Bud, AA3B will be active as V26K from Antigua & Barbuda (NA-100) on 26-30 November. This will be a CW only, all band, low power operation, including an entry in the CQ WW DX CW Contest. QSL via home call. [TNX AA3B]

V6 - V63SXW (Roger, G3SXW) and V63TXF (Nigel, G3TXF) have changed their plans regarding this weekend [425DXN 632]. Nigel will go to Falalop (OC-078) alone and be active as V63TXF/P, while Roger will stay on Yap (OC-012). QSL via home calls. [TNX G3ZAY]

VK - Bill, VK4FW is likely to be active (possibly for a couple of days from each island) from OC-160, OC-171, OC-172 and OC-142 starting on

29 September. This will be a 95% CW operation. QSL direct only (with 2 USD or 2 IRC) via home call (Bill Horner, P.O. Box 1343, Maroochydore, 4558, Australia). [TNX VK4FW]

VP9 - Bert, PA3GIO will be active as PA3GIO/VP9 from Bermuda (NA-005) on 18-28 September. He will operate from the QTH of Ed, VP9GE and will be QRV on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres SSB. QSL via PA3GIO, preferably through the bureau (e-mail requests for bureau cards will be welcome at qsl@pa3gio.nl). The web page for the operation is at <http://www.pa3gio.nl/VP9> [TNX PA3GIO]

YA - Operator Sada in Kabul, Afghanistan [425DXN 631] has received his own licence and is now active as YA1D. He has also got club call YA0J for visiting operators. Sada is QRV almost daily after 12.30 UTC on 80-10 metres mainly SSB with some slow CW. QSL YA1D and YA0J via JG1OWV. [TNX JG1OWV]

YI - Dane, S57CQ is expected to be back to Iraq until mid-October. QSL YI/S57CQ (already approved for DXCC credit) via S57DX (Slavko Celarc, Ob igriscu 8, 1360 Vrhnika, Slovenia), [TNX S57DX]

YV - A group of operators will be active on all bands and modes as 4M9YY from San Fernando de Apure, in the rare call area 9 of Venezuela, on 7-12 October. QSL direct (maildrop) to 4M9YY, Pakmail 10012, P.O. Box 025304, Miami, FL 33102-5304, USA (YV stations only can request their cards via bureau). [TNX YY5JMM]

PACIFIC TRIP ---> Jim, W7UG and Tom, K7ZZ will operate as T88ZX from Palau (OC-009) starting around 1 October for one week. Then they will move to Yap (OC-012), Micronesia and be active as V63ZT for another week. Look for them on 10-80 metres (with an emphasis on the WARC bands) SSB and CW, with some RTTY if there is enough interest in that mode. QSLs direct to K7ZZ. [TNX K7ZZ]

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NCDXF ---> At its Board of Directors meeting on 26 August the Northern California DX Foundation re-elected the following officers and directors:

President	Len Geraldi, K6ANP
Vice President	Al Burnham, K6RIM
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Director	Chuck Ternes, N6OJ
Director	Glenn Vinson, W6OTC
Director	Steve Merchant, K6AW
Director	Ken Anderson, K6TA
Director	Tim Totten, N4GN

Information pertaining to the Northern California DX Foundation is available at <http://www.ncdx.org/> [TNX K6RIM]

QSL KH6ZM ---> Effective 1 September 2003, I0MWI is the new QSL manager for Max, KH6ZM. QSL direct only to Stefano Cipriani, Via Taranto 60, 00055 Ladispoli - RM, Italy. [TNX I0MWI]

SAN MARINO (VHF) ---> Nazzareno, T72NC expects to participate in the forthcoming IARU VHF Region 1 Contest (6-7 September). QSL via bureau. [TNX IW3RUA]

YO DX HF CONTEST ---> It will take place from 12 UTC on 30 August through 12 UTC on the 31st. The rules are available on the Romanian Amateur Radio Federation's web site at <http://www.hamradio.ro> [TNX N2YO]

+ SILENT KEY + La Gazette du DX reports the passing of Lucien Aubry, F8TM, the doyen of the French radioamateurs, on 17 August. First licenced in 1926, Lucien was 97 years old.

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*** NEWS FROM THE WEB ***
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JA HAM FAIR: Pictures of the Japan DX Meeting, held during the recent Tokyo Ham Fair (23-24 August), can be found at <http://www.ndxa.jp/activity/2003hamfair/> [TNX JA1DOT]

LOGS: On-line logs for CT1GFK/p, CT1GPQ/p and CT2IHP/P (EU-145, June 2003) are available at <http://adxq.sytes.net> [TNX CT1GFK]

LOGS: On-line logs for CT6B and CT1EGW/p (EU-040) are now available at <http://ct1end.netpower.pt/ct6b> or <http://www.portal-dx.web.pt> [TNX CT1END]

LT7W: Information and pictures of this recent lighthouse activity can be found at <http://www.LT7W.tk> [TNX LU4WG]

NA-225: Information and pictures of K9AJ/VY0 and K9PPY/VY0's recent operation from Somerset Island are available on the IREF's web site at <http://www.islandradio.org> [TNX AB5EB]

OZ0AIS: Pictures and on-line log for this recent operation [425DXN 641] can be found at <http://www.aatis.de> [TNX DL6KAC]

QSLs received direct: 3B8CF, 3W7TK, 4W2DN, 5T6M, 5V7VJ, 5Z4BK, 5Z4BL, 6Y8Z, 7P8IZ, 7X0AD, 8P1A, 9L1AB, 9N7DX, 9Y4/DL4MEH, A35WE, A61AJ, AH2R, AP2JZB, C6ALK, C6AMK, CP6EB, CP6XE, CQ0BWW, CS6V, D44T, DU3/G4ZVJ, DU8/VK3FY, EP3PTT, ES1WW, ET3AA, EZ8AQ, EZ8YL, FP/K9OT, HC4M, HL1EJT/2 (AS-168), HL9DX/2 (AS-168), HR1LW, J5UCW (AF-093), J5UDX, JT1FDI, K1B, KH2T, KH3/KT6E, KL7KG (NA-041), KP4WS, LX7I, N4BQW/KH9, N6XIV/KH9, NH2PW, OA4WW, P29VMS (OC-099, 103, 256, 257, 258), PJ2/WB9Z, PW0T, PZ1AP, R1100PS, RU1A, S05X, S21VJ, ST0RY, T31MY, T32CY, T5X, T99C, TG4/W0IZ, TT8DF, TU2CI, TU2XZ, UA9DT, UE6AAA (EU-185), UU7J, V73MJ, VB2V, VE1/K1WO (NA-126), VK9XE, VP2EN, VP2MHX, VP2MWB, VP6DIA, VQ9PO, VR2MY, VU2WAP, XF21H (NA-224), XU7AAV, XV9DT, XW1HS, XW1IC,

XW2A, YB0ECT, YE5A (OC-262), YI/KV4EB, YL2GP, YS1/AC4LN, YW8D (SA-063),
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